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Response and Request for Reconsideration

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action mailed December 5, 2005, the following remarks and amendments are submitted for your consideration. A petition for an extension of the time is submitted contemporaneously with this request for reconsideration.

A Listing of the Claims is provided and begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.